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Summary of transactions of Service during the month of April, 1901.

Total number of vessels inspected during April, 1901	22
Total number of vessels inspected during April, 1900	34
Total number of bills of health issued during April, 1901	24
Total number of bills of health issued during April, 1900	32
Number of vessels in quarantine during April, 1901	3
Number of passengers inspected during April, 1901 (incoming)	93
Number of passengers inspected during April, 1901 (in transit)	381
Number of crew inspected during April, 1901	768
Number of immigrants inspected during April, 1901	3
Rejections	0
Vaccinations	8

Report of immigrants inspected at the port of Ponce, P. R., during the month of April, 1901.

Total number of immigrants inspected, 3; number passed, 3.

W. W. KING,
Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

End of cholera and plague in Singapore.

MANILA, P. I., *April 7, 1901.*

SIR: I have the honor to inform you that recent United States consular advices from Singapore state that no cholera has occurred in that colony since March 2, and that no cases of plague have been reported for a period of more than two weeks.

In view of these facts, I have withdrawn all prohibitive regulations against that place, except in the case of old gunnies, which will not be allowed entrance at this port until a longer period of time has elapsed, as no means for their proper disinfection exist at Singapore.

Respectfully, J. C. PERRY,
Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Foreign and insular statistical reports of countries and cities—Yearly and monthly.

AUSTRALIA—*New South Wales—New Castle.*—Three months ended March 31, 1901. Estimated population, 70,000. Total number of deaths 59, including diphtheria, 15; enteric fever, 14, and 1 from measles.

Queensland—Brisbane.—Month of February, 1901. Estimated population, 110,951. Total number of deaths, 79, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 2, and 1 from whooping cough.

BAHAMAS—*Dunmore Town.*—Two weeks ended May 10, 1901. Estimated population, 1,472. No deaths and no contagious diseases.

Governors Harbor.—Two weeks ended May 11, 1901. Estimated population, 1,357. No deaths and no contagious diseases.

Green Turtle Cay—Abaco.—Two weeks ended May 9, 1901. Estimated population, 3,900. No deaths and no contagious diseases reported.